

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:	§	
Volker Krueger	§	Docket No: 564-12835-USCQ
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Serial No: 10/758,309	§	Art Unit: 3672
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Filed: January 15, 2004	§	Examiner: Thomas S. Bomar
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Title: Self-Controlled Directional Drilling Systems and Methods	§	Confirmation No.: 5364
	§	

MS: RCE

Commissioner for Patents

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114 &
RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 15, 2008**

Applicant requests continued examination of the application under 37 CFR § 1.114 with the amendments entered below.

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